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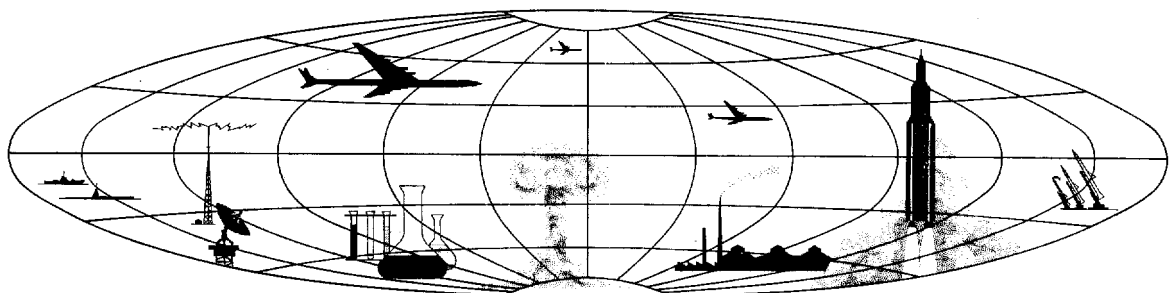


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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3155, DATED 15 NOVEMBER 1962. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1A

REMEDIOS IRBM SITE 2225N 07935W 25X1D

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE [REDACTED] EXCEPT FEWER VEHICLES NOTED. SMALL SCALE AND OBLIQUITY PRECLUDE DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

CAIBARIEN SAM SITE 2228N 07929W 25X1D

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE [REDACTED] OBLIQUITY AND SMALL SCALE PRECLUDE DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

CIEGO DE AVILA SAM SITE 2142N 07850W

SITE CONTAINS MISSILES ON ALL 6 LAUNCHERS. NO OTHER APPARENT CHANGES SINCE [REDACTED] 25X1D

25X1D

25X1A

DELEITE SAM SITE 2259N 08045W

SITE CONTAINS SIX REVETTED LAUNCH POSITIONS WITH 6 APPARENTLY CANVAS-COVERED MISSILES, 11 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN HOLD REVETMENTS AND IN WOODED AREA, APPROXIMATELY 16 VEHICLES, AND 4 LARGE AND 6 SMALL TENTS.

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DELEITE ALTERNATE SAM SITE 2301N 08044W

25X1A

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 25X1D

25X1D

ESMERALDA SAM SITE 2155N 07813W

25X1A

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 25X1D

25X1D

SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE 2147N 07929W

25X1A

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 25X1D

25X1D

CIEGO DE AVILA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2151N 07844W

25X1A

APPROXIMATELY 30 VEHICLES IN AREA. NO OTHER APPARENT  
CHANGE SINCE

25X1D

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CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2236N 08005W

25X1A

NO ACTIVITY OR VEHICLES NOTED.

25X1D

BARTOLOME (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY 2226N 07934W

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NO MISSILE-RELATED ACTIVITY NOTED.

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SALAMANCA (REMEDIOS AREA) SUSP SSM ACTIVITY 2227N 07940W [REDACTED]

NO MISSILE-RELATED ACTIVITY NOTED.

25X1D [REDACTED]

-AIRFIELDS-

25X1A

CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N 07751W [REDACTED]

AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL OF 5, INCLUDING 3 FAGOT/FRESCO, ONE UNIDENTIFIED SINGLE-ENGINE PISTON, AND ONE LIAISON. APPROXIMATELY 20 TRUCKS/VANS NW OF NE END OF MAIN RUNWAY. NINE TRUCKS/VANS AND 6 PIECES OF UNIDENTIFIED EQUIPMENT WEST OF SE END OF MAIN RUNWAY. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE [REDACTED] 25X1D

25X1D [REDACTED]

25X1A

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS (SANTA CLARA) AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W [REDACTED]

AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL OF 29, INCLUDING 19 FISHBED, 5 FAGOT, 4 FAGOT/FRESCO, AND ONE UNIDENTIFIED LIAISON. THIRTEEN AIRCRAFT CRATES LOCATED ALONG RUNWAY. ONE UNOCCUPIED 6-GUN AND ONE OCCUPIED 3-GUN AAA POSITION LOCATED OFF EAST END OF E/W RUNWAY. FOUR OCCUPIED 3-GUN AAA POSITIONS ON NORTH SIDE OF RUNWAY. TWO POSSIBLY OCCUPIED 3-GUN AAA POSITIONS ON SOUTH SIDE OF RUNWAY AND ONE OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA POSITION LOCATED AT 22-28-12N 079-56-24W. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE [REDACTED] 25X1D SCATTERED CLOUDS PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D [REDACTED]

25X1A

JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2209N 08025W [REDACTED]

AIRCRAFT -- NONE.  
OBLIQUITY AND SMALL SCALE PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

ALTAGRACIA, MILITARY AREA 2124N 07742W

NO VEHICLES OR EQUIPMENT VISIBLE.

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25X1A

CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION NO 1 2121N 07750W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 25X1D

25X1D

25X1A

CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION NO 2 2117N 07801W

THIS AREA DOES NOT APPEAR TO BE A MILITARY  
INSTALLATION. IT IS NOT SECURED. IT HAS NO GOOD  
INTERNAL ROAD NETWORK. NO MILITARY ACTIVITY IS  
APPARENT.

25X1D

25X1A

GUANTANAMO AREA 2 1950N 07740W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.  
HAZE AND HEAVY CLOUD COVER PRECLUDE DETAILED  
INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2227N 07934W

25X1D

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE EXCEPT ONE  
ADDITIONAL OCCUPIED 8-GUN PROBABLE LIGHT AAA POSITION  
OBSERVED AT 22-27-12N 079-35-30W.

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SAN RICARDO, POL STORAGE U/C 2223N 07951W

APPROXIMATELY 40 VEHICLES NOTED IN AREA. NO OTHER  
APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 25X1D

25X1D

25X1A

SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY 2221N 07957W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 25X1D

25X1D

SANTA CLARA, AAA DEFENSES 2225N 07957W

SURROUNDING CITY OF SANTA CLARA -- ONE OCCUPIED 6-GUN  
AAA POSITION AT 22-28-30N 079-56-24W, ONE OCCUPIED  
6-GUN AAA POSITION AT 22-23-24N 079-56-48W, 2  
UNOCCUPIED 3-GUN AAA POSITIONS (ONE AT 22-23-06N  
079-56-54W AND ONE AT 22-22-00N 079-56-30W), AND ONE  
OCCUPIED 6-GUN AAA POSITION AT 22-25-06N 080-01-06W.  
SEE CAMILO CIENFUEGOS (SANTA CLARA) AIRFIELD FOR  
ADDITIONAL AAA DEFENSES.

25X1D

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SANTA CLARA AREA, MOTOR POOL 2224N 07953W

TWENTY VEHICLES NOTED IN AREA. NO OTHER APPARENT  
CHANGE SINCE

25X1D

25X1D

-PORTS-

25X1A

CAIBARIEN PORT 2232N 07928W

VESSELS -- NO LARGE VESSELS.  
OBLIQUITY AND SMALL SCALE PRECLUDE DETAILED  
INTERPRETATION.

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CIENFUEGOS PORT 2209N 08027W

VESSELS -- 4 FREIGHTERS AND ONE TANKER.  
OBLIQUITY AND SMALL SCALE PRECLUDE FURTHER  
INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

-MISCELLANEOUS-

25X1D

25X1A

MANICARAGUA AREA, STORAGE INSTALLATION 2206N 07958W

NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE OBLIQUITY, CLOUDS  
AND SMALL SCALE PRECLUDE FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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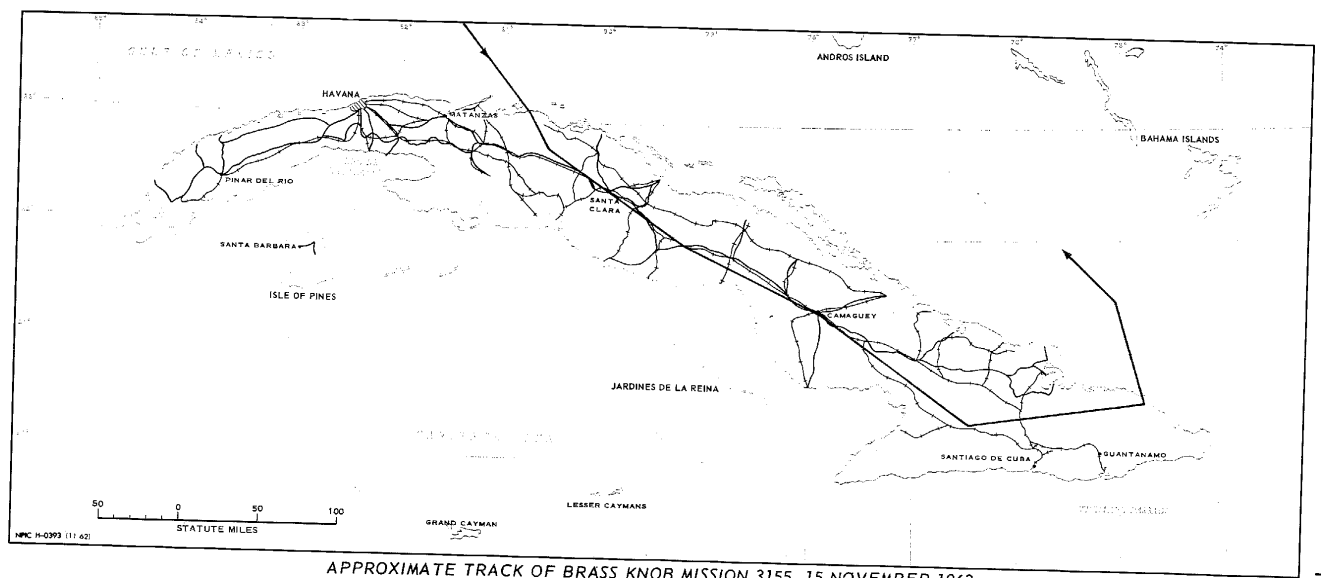
NO CAVES OBSERVED.

THERE ARE NO OTHER ITEMS OF SIGNIFICANCE TO REPORT.

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